

By German Warplanes

Rocket-Driven Glider Bombs
Used to Attack Allied Convoy

By FRANKLIN F. BANKER
LONDON, Dec. 20.—(AP)—The first eye-witness report on a new Nazi "secret weapon"—rocket-driven glider bombs—was released yesterday following a recent attack on a big Allied convoy by eight Nazi bombers.

The sudden appearance of the gliders diving at the ships at terrific speed, leaving trails of white smoke behind, startled two British marine officers into exclaiming that the attack "looked like the fly of a Martian invasion here."

The seamen described the new weapons as big bombs mounted on rocket-controlled gliders about 25 feet long with a 15-foot wingspan. They were called "glider bombs."

"All our ships reached their destination safely but it's lucky we didn't get hit," said Robert Daley, one of the gunners.

It was believed to have been the Nazis' first attack with rocket glider bombs, and the two officers may have witnessed the first new chapter in the history of aerial warfare.

The Germans were known to have been experimenting with the rocket gliders and were previously reported to have used one during an attack.

The eight bombers—each equipped with rocket-driven glider bombs—were seen attacking the Allied convoy at a distance of about 100 miles from the coast. They released the gliders some distance from the coast and guided them by radio control, keeping them on a bearing of 180 degrees. They then released the bombs and caused them to zoom at the ships.

TERRIFIC SPEED
Bayer said the gliders buzzed up terrific speed during the final dive and apparently were kept under radio control. "They made them turn corners," they said, and added that they have been more prominently marked than all others.

One, however, might have hit the freighter on the two. They said, however, that the glider was shot down a short distance away. One of the bombers also was shot down.

"The glider bombs exploded when they hit the water, throwing up a spout and a big cloud of black smoke," they said.

He said that although the attack was made in daylight, the gliders were equipped with brilliant red lights, evidently to indicate their course at night.

Advance Release
On News Balled

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—(AP)—President Roosevelt, taking stern measures to prevent leaks of important war information, yesterday directed the war and navy secretaries and the director of the War Relocation Authority to withhold any war information for release to the public at a future date, any news having a security value.

McKenney
On Bridge

By WM. E. MCKENNEY
American Card Authority
First of three articles based on the new book, "Common Sense Contract," by Mrs. E. J. Peterson of Philadelphia. Mrs. Peterson is an outstanding bridge teacher in the United States and is one of the three women in the world who have won the national championship.

Mrs. Peterson uses the Four Aces system of hand valuation. This is an easy way to count the value of a hand. A king is 3, a queen 2, a jack 1, and an ace 0. The total value of the hand is 30 points.

The rough-and-ready method of counting points is "that on 25 tricks in any position," is not followed. Rather, the important matter is of distribution, taking into account, and the even more important question of the relative partner's response to the rebid.

For example, you may bid with a point count of 15-16 and the partner's response for longer suit, such as:

Spades A Q 10 6 5 4; Hearts 3 2; Diamonds K 3; Clubs 2.

Or with a strong suit and weak headed by the four top honors:

Spades K Q 10 9 8; Hearts 2; Diamonds K 7; Clubs A 2.

Or with two five-card suits, one strong suit and one weak:

Spades K 9 8 7 6; Hearts A Q 10 9 8; Diamonds K 3; Clubs 2.

Or with any four-card suit and a good suit, such as:

Spades A K Q J 8; Hearts 9 8 7 6 5; Diamonds none; Clubs 2 3.

PRIVATE BUCK

PORT WASHINGTON, MD.



"Nice of you fellows to come to see ME so often!"

Allies Bolster Social Credit

Hold on Vital Nominee

Lateral Road Red Deer Seat

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of the Fifth Army front also hammered out a two-mile gain in the morning. The Canadians were trying to break through a pocket. The Eighth Army forces on the Adriatic front knocked out five German tanks and 250 soldiers. The fighting around Ortona and Anversa.

Since crossing the Sangro river, the Empire troops have wrecked 40 German tanks including 30 Mark IV's and three Tiger I's have been destroyed. The 19th German panzer division, which was fighting around Ortona and Anversa.

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REASONS FOR LOSS
The loss of this seat by the Independents was not due to any lack of organization or newspaper support, but due to a lack of constructive criticism that has characterized the leaders of that group since they entered the political arena under the name of Independents.

"The result clearly indicates that when our people are properly informed as to what the Alberta Social Credit government is doing, they will give it their support."

"We feel that the voters realize the big job to be done by Canadians on the home front and have decided to support the Social Credit government in their efforts to do the job while their boys do it in Europe."

"I feel the local voters here are in a state of indecision. They have a vote and a determined intention to get their results in a truly democratic way."

On Tuesday, Dec. 20, returning Officer H. J. Anderson formally declared the results of the election to the Social Credit government. He said that the results of the election were in favor of the Social Credit government.

On Tuesday, Dec. 20, 1944, there has been no report or receipt asked for, the returning officer will send an official return to the Executive Council Robert A. Anderson.

Result of the election will be proclaimed in the Alberta Gazette and the new member of the legislature will take his seat in the legislature on Thursday, Dec. 20.

Nazi Ammunition Cargo Blown Up
By EDWIN SHANKS
ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 20.—(AP)—A cargo of German ammunition being unloaded in Oslo harbor yesterday was blown up by a firebomb.

The explosion killed four persons, shattering tens of thousands of windows and setting off a firestorm. The explosion was caused by a firebomb dropped by a British bomber.

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Germans Lose Wins Promotion

South Anchor Of River Line

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entirety from it. They explained that the river was frozen over, making the footpath on the east bank useless.

By the loss of the bridgehead and the German army, the Lower Danube was for a small bridgehead opposite Nikolai.

The bridgehead was a small, strongly-defended perimeter on the German side of the river, which the Germans tried to hold in order to cover the city from the river.

PRECARIOUS VENTURE
The Nazi's risky venture of the bridgehead had crossed the river without loss, despite the heavy drift of ice making the venture precarious.

With the Danube river line on the Black Sea last and the Russian line in the north, the German army was expected to find the great pocket untenable.

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Bombers Hit Double Blows

Against Reich

By WALTER CROKETT

LONDON, Dec. 20.—(AP)—An American heavy bomber struck its second blow of a double punch at Germany from the south and west today, flying from Britain to bomb the Reich after Mediterranean-based bombers smashed yesterday at the Nazi arsenal city of Augsburg.

Aerial traffic between Britain and the continent was reported to be heavy today, with many bombers being sent to the French coast.

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Cabinet Shuffle Predicted For Early Future

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Returns From East U.S. 6th Army Closing in on Araware Airstrip

By RYDON C. TAVES

Exclusive to The Edmonton Bulletin
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Strike Threat Remains After Long Meeting

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—(AP)—The White House announced last night that a five-hour conference on the threatened nationwide railroad strike had failed to reach an agreement on the wage controversy, but that a "clearer understanding" of the problems involved had been attained.

The statement, issued after railroad and union officials had met with President Roosevelt, War Mobilization Director James F. Byrnes and Economic Stabilization Director Fred M. Vinson, said the representatives of the railroads and the five operating brotherhoods will meet here again Tuesday morning.

STRIKE ORDERED
The operational brotherhoods have ordered a strike to begin Dec. 26, and to spread progressively to various railroads, with a complete stop of rail transportation in the United States to be made effective within four days thereafter.

The White House conference was one of the longest sustained meetings that President Roosevelt has held during his administration.

Neither side would discuss the conference when it adjourned.

Discharge Pay Plan Revealed For Veterans

OTTAWA, Dec. 20.—(CP)—Canadian financial arrangements for soldiers, sailors and airmen on discharge are based on the idea of providing a man with funds necessary to tide him over the period of his re-establishment in civil life, rather than a lump-sum payment.

There is nothing except corresponding to the \$200 to \$500 muster-out grant proposed for United States forces in a bill now before Congress, but the average Canadian serviceman is expected to draw considerably more than \$500 during the period of his return to civilian life.

MORE GENEROUS
Canadian rehabilitation officials said Saturday the Canadian plan is more generous than any yet adopted by any other nation.

All soldiers, sailors and airmen, draw on a discharge one month's pay and allowances. The allowances include the usual payments for dependents. In addition, those with overseas service receive 28 days' demobilization furlough on full pay and allowances prior to discharge and a \$65 clothing allowance.

For a private soldier, single and drawing no allowances, these items amount to about \$142. A married man without children would receive about \$212, and a married man with three children about \$284.

After that the serviceman is entitled to a post-discharge allowance if he needs it, which corresponds to some degree with his pay and allowances while in service. The allowance is payable while awaiting employment while undergoing medical treatment, while awaiting return from a farm or a business enterprise, while undergoing vocational training or proceeding to higher education.

PERIOD PAYABLE
These allowances in all cases are payable during any 12 of the first 18 months after discharge. In the case of higher education they may go on for longer periods.

No estimate can be made, officials said, of the extent to which men will claim and draw these allowances. It will depend on economic conditions and availability of employment.

If a private soldier made maximum use of them, however, he would draw on all accounts from \$700 up, depending on his marital status and the number of his dependents.

SHIPYARDS ACTIVE
HONOLULU.—(CP)—During the first three years of war, some 4,000 sea-going ships were repaired in Indian shipyards.

Many "Attractions"

Naples "Fantastic" Contrast To Front Fifty Miles Away

By KENNETH L. DIXON

NAPLES, Dec. 13.—(Delayed)—(AP)—There's a fantastic contrast in the 50 miles between Naples and the front. Now that the 5th Army has several rest camps operating in the colorful city by the sea, many a war-weary soldier is finding briefly in Naples a life he had almost forgotten.

Theatres are opening again, the opera season is on. The Red Cross clubs are open. Cars and taxis vie with military vehicles for right of way on the streets. The shops are open. There is even a night club in operation.

Besides all these things, the soldier finds a people eager to get along with him—and, of course, take his money. There are roulette wheels on the sidewalks, hurdy-gurdy peddlers with all kinds of trinkets, bootleggers, bums, prostitutes and beggars. There are better shops by the hundreds and bars, horse carriages and bicycles.

50 MILES TO FRONT
And all the while, the front is only 50 miles away—and no matter how much you talk about the Italian winter front, it remains at most indecipherable in its misty of mud, mines and minefields.

All day and night, the guns



Leader Uncertain

Troops Massing in Britain For Great Invasion Blow

By LEWIS HAWKINS

LONDON, Dec. 20.—(AP)—Reports from Washington that Gen. George C. Marshall would not become commander-in-chief of the western invasion caused widespread surprise here last night.

Official comment as to who will command the long expected channel blow to the war was lacking, but the speculation here was that if the present United States chief of staff does not, the post might go either to Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower or to Gen. Sir Harold Alexander.

The Sunday press said millions of trained men are arriving in Britain from the United States, ferried non-stop by 50 huge Allied ships. "U.S. troops are 'strap-hanging' across the Atlantic on a non-stop run by great fleets of transports," said The People, another Sunday paper.

NAZIS PREPARING
At the same time, the travels of Nazi Field Marshal Gen. Erwin Rommel up and down the German "west wall" indicated that Germany also is preparing for the blow the Allies have promised.

A Berlin broadcast said Rommel had arrived at the headquarters of Field Marshal Gen. Karl Gerd Von Rundstedt, the German anti-invasion expert in the west, following inspection tours through Denmark and Norway.

The Allied decision on who would command the invasion forces drew the most attention here, however.

Reluctant to accept Washington reports that Marshall will remain at home, British officers seemed to feel that any change would have been made if it was not necessary done in order to put a Briton in charge.

FEW U.S. GENERALS
They reason also that America has only three four-star generals with sufficient rank and prestige to lead the Allied Army—Generals Marshall, Eisenhower and Douglas MacArthur. They rule out MacArthur automatically because he is so deeply committed to waging the Pacific war to its conclusion.

Gen. Eisenhower unquestionably would be accepted, perhaps warmly as Marshall, because he already has done a good job in shaping co-operation and integration between Allied forces.

Because of the role he has played with Eisenhower on the basis of his record for courage and aggressiveness and his strategic and administrative capacity, Gen. Alexander would be acceptable to the Americans here.

BRITAIN MAY LEAD

MAIN INVASION
WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—(CP)—The Army and Navy Journal, an official military journal, said in its issue Saturday "there is a rumor that Lt. Gen. Sir Henry Maitland Wilson or Sir Harold Alexander

keep the air vibrating, making sleep almost impossible. The never-ending mud, the constant rains, and the December cold, make it equally impossible to keep clean or dry or warm. It is a dramatic contrast.

This morning the Bay of Naples was unbelievably peaceful and serene in the gleaming sunlight. Noisy, however, rang merrily at they hung their blankets out on balconies to air.

BEAUTIFUL SCENE
Last night the moonlight made the bay at Vesuvius' feet breathtakingly beautiful.

Last night, up front again, the moonlight—if it doesn't rain—will mean only a better chance for the observation posts on both sides to call their shots and the music will be made by mortar and artillery thunder and the sharper sounds of grenades, rifles and machine guns.

in the Middle East and Gen. Alexander is ground commander in the Mediterranean, under Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower.

The Journal predicted that Eisenhower may remain in the Mediterranean "as the supreme leader and director of the operations in Italy and the Balkans."

It added "the arrival of Lt. Gen. Patton (commander of the United States 7th Army) in Cairo probably means that he is General Eisenhower's choice for direction of the Balkan operations to be inaugurated in the near future."

Scientists are experimenting with sodium amalgam, in connection with sodium rhodium, as a treatment for some insanity cases.

Composer Dies

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 20.—(AP)—Carl Busch, 81, internationally-known composer, died yesterday. An attack of influenza complicated a heart ailment. Among his best-known choral works were "The Four Winds," "May," "Pan's Flute," and "Sir Gallahad," all prize-winning compositions.

Four Airmen Killed

MEADAM, N.B., Dec. 20.—(CP)—Four RCAF men from Penfield, N.B., were killed instantly yesterday when a twin-engine bombing plane crashed a quarter of a mile from the railway station here. Their next of kin have been notified and the names will be announced later.

Traitor Loses Nerve

Youngsters sat on the roofs of nearby buildings and others watched from the windows as guards made the four stand on stools mounted on the trucks, tied their hands behind their backs and fitted the nooses.

The Russian traitor, Mikhail Petrovich Bulatov, 28, lost his nerve and almost lost his life when the Germans, wearing the uniforms of their rank and overseas caps and decorations appeared more composed. They were Capt. William Langford, 32, of the Gestapo, Hans Ritz, storm troop com-

First German War Criminals Die on Gallows

By M. S. HANDLER
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KHARKOV, Dec. 20.—Amid cheers from some 50,000 Russian men, women and children, three German army officers and one Russian traitor—convicted in the first war criminal trial of World War II—were hanged Sunday on the market square of this war-torn city.

At 11:15 a.m. four Gallows moved away from the square, leaving the condemned men dangling at the end of the nooses to which they were sentenced for participating in the mass murder of thousands of Russian prisoners and civilians.

A vengeful crowd pressed against a cordon of Red Army officers as the doomed men—Gestapo captain, a Storm Troop commander, a police officer and a Russian chauffeur for the Nazis—were driven into the square in closed trucks.

Composer Dies

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 20.—(AP)—Carl Busch, 81, internationally-known composer, died yesterday. An attack of influenza complicated a heart ailment. Among his best-known choral works were "The Four Winds," "May," "Pan's Flute," and "Sir Gallahad," all prize-winning compositions.

Four Airmen Killed

MEADAM, N.B., Dec. 20.—(CP)—Four RCAF men from Penfield, N.B., were killed instantly yesterday when a twin-engine bombing plane crashed a quarter of a mile from the railway station here. Their next of kin have been notified and the names will be announced later.

Fire 100,000 Shells Canadian Guns "Red Hot" After Greatest Barrage

By DOUGLAS AMARON
WITH THE CANADIANS IN ITALY, Dec. 18.—(Delayed)—(CP)—The artillery barrage which preceded cutting of the vital Ortona-Osogna lateral road by Canadian troops today was so intense that it left the gun barrels almost hot enough to boil water.

Canadian, British and Indian 25-pounders alone fired more than 100,000 shells, with the Canadian contribution twice as great as the previous record "shot," Dec. 8, when the main Canadian bridgehead across the Mos River was established.

Just as was today's concentration of guns, it was not quite on the same scale as the one preceding the 8th Army's breakthrough at El Alamein. But, to indicate the weight of today's barrage, the guns fired more shells than the infantry men did small arms ammunition. The German counter-fire was almost lost in the ear-splitting one-way traffic.

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DUAL BARRAGE
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Capt. R. Philpot, of Fort William, Ont., commanded one Canadian artillery troop and the work his men did was typical of what all the Canadian gunners went through from eight o'clock in the morning, when the first barrage began, until 1:30 a.m., when the second ended.

More than 2,500,000 hours in England and Wales were damaged by bombs from the start of the war up in November, 1942.



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Today's Sport Parade

By Jack Cuddy

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NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Reports that the Japanese have abolished baseball during the current war are entirely untrue, according to Royal Arch Gunnison of the Mutual Broadcasting Company, who returned on Dec. 1 from internment camps at Shanghai and Manila.

CANADIAN SPORTSHOTS

By CHARLIE EDWARDS

TORONTO, Dec. 20.—(CP)—An innocent-appearing news item the other day showed New York Rangers had released Bill Warwick to their farm club, New York Rangers of the United States Eastern Amateur Hockey League. This apparently unobstructed transfer of players between amateur and professional clubs is proof the distinction between amateur and professional has disappeared in United States hockey as well as in Canada.

The attempt to differentiate between amateur and professional by the issuance of amateur cards has been a joke in this country for years. It is public knowledge that many so-called amateur hockey or baseball players have been paid for their prowess. Perhaps the present dropping of bars will lead to a complete change in our amateur rules over the war.

In Britain there is free mingling of amateurs and professionals in team games such as cricket and football. Some of the greatest English athletes of times have remained amateur. Probably the greatest of all cricketers, Dr. W. G. Grace, was an amateur.

Bernard Joy, great centre half for Arsenal football club just before the war, refused all attempts to get him into the professional fold.

The choice of amateurism in England is chiefly a matter of pride. British sport is gradually losing its emphasis on class distinction between amateur and professional although in cricket they usually occupy separate dressing rooms in pavilions. At Lord's cricket grounds, the pros and amateurs enter and leave by separate gates. The London Times gives the amateur the title of "Mister" while most papers use initials for the amateur and refer to the professional as Jones or Smith.

It's not likely such distinctions would ever be drawn in Canada and it is high time we ceased to differentiate between paid and unpaid athletes except in circumstances where strict amateurism is desirable and can be enforced, such as in intercollegiate sports.

There is, of course, the international rule that amateur and amateur can compete in Olympic games. This is a spur to some to protect their amateur status. But except for the Olympic angle, an international rule which could be amended, it is doubtful there is a sound argument against the mingling of amateurs and professionals.

Wally Hammond, the famous English cricketer, started his sport career as a professional footballer with Bristol Rovers. He became a cricketer professional with Gloucestershire and an international. Later he turned to the cricket fathers that he was previously ineligible because of the tradition that England must be captained by an amateur.

Evidently amateurism in England is a matter of personal choice. It's doubtful if there are logical reasons why it should not be the same in Canada.

How They Stand

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	D	P
Montreal	10	10	0	0
Toronto	10	10	0	0
Chicago	9	10	0	0
St. Louis	9	10	0	0
Philadelphia	8	10	0	0
Baltimore	7	10	0	0

ALBERTA SENIOR

	W	L	D	P
Red Deer Army	2	1	15	0
Calgary Army	2	1	15	0
Edmonton-Township	2	1	15	0

Young Pro Golfer Cons Miami Open; Shoots Even-Par

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 20.—(AP)—Steve Wozniak, young professional who is a spare-time golfer for the duration, while he works here as an airline operator, won the \$5,000 Miami open tournament Sunday with an even-par 280 for the 72 holes.

Coasting home with a regulation 70 to yesterday, Wozniak won his big get going purse—\$10,000 in war bonds—in seven years as a professional with a three-stroke edge over Sammy Bula of Detroit, the tournament favorite.

The former national amateur champion, despite Willie Turnesa's lead in the United States States Amateur honors with a 284, a score which earned him a third-place prize with Johnny Bulla of Atlanta, one time touring pro who now is an amateur.

Wozniak took the lead at the half-way point Friday when he carded a 70 in the rain and wind to overtake the United States open champion.

GIRLS' FURS JACKETS

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Holters Down Arsenal 1-0

Four Teams Now in Running North League Soccer Title

LONDON, Dec. 20.—(CP Cable)—Results of Saturday's soccer matches assured a stirring climax to the League North championship Christmas Day. They left four teams separated by only one point sharing the first four places, Blackpool and Manchester United, Liverpool and Doncaster Rovers.

Blackpool slipped at Southampton. Mortensen gave them a first-half lead but in the last minute the home side pulled one back to snatch a point for the home side. The match ended in a 1-1 draw.

Manchester playing at home defeated Bolton 3-1. Liverpool whipped Tranmere 2-0 and Doncaster won by the odd goal in three over the visiting Grimsby.

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Tottenham Hotspurs became serious challengers by defeating Arsenal 2-0, ending Arsenal's unbeaten run, the biggest League South crowd of the season. Once again it was Beasley, former Arsenal winger, who did the trick for the Spurs. In the corresponding game a 4-2 Tottenham with 24 points are one behind West Ham.

Lovells Athletic defeated Cardiff City 4-1 to win the League West championship for the second time. In the Scottish Southern League Glasgow Rangers scored a comfortable 4-0 over Celtic, who were only managed a 1-1 draw at Dunbarton. Hibernians belted at the hands of Queens Park and Clyde whipped Falkirk.

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Play Bears Next Sunday

Redskins Scalp Giants 28-0

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Beaten by the New Yorkers the last two Sundays, thus throwing the Eastern Division race into a deadlock, Washington pulled off another yesterday and with Arvid Andy scoring three touchdowns and Slingshot Sammy pitching for 10 completed passes and 199 yards, they never gave the Giants a chance.

A crowd of 42,000 at the Polo Grounds watched the league's defending champions win this divisional play-off and qualify to meet the Chicago Bears in Chicago next Sunday in the interdivisional final.

Baugh, in addition to his usual one-man air-raid, intercepted two passes and ran one back 44 yards to the Giant six and one of his own pass completions was a touchdown. (By the way, Ted Lepka late in the game for the final Redskins marker.)

Except for this flip, the Redskins did all their scoring during the first quarter, accumulating the second period on a pair of two-point plays and added another in the final chapter on a halfback explosion. He scored each of his touchdowns on the same smash-simble by blowing a hole through the Giants' left guard.

The New Yorkers got into Washington territory only twice yesterday and only once marched as far as the Redskins 25.

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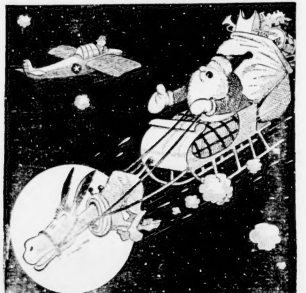
NEW YORK.—Yesterday morning we got word of the death of Mr. Marvin McIntyre who has been friend and associate of the President for many years. He had been ill for some time, but his loyalty and desire to keep on working were so great that he was in the office only a few weeks ago. He enjoyed life and made others enjoy it. Many will miss him. For my husband I will be one more loyal friend gone. I know

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CURIOUS WORLD



the help she gave on the legislative committee in this state. That was my first opportunity to work with her. Ever since that time she and her friend, Miss Katherine Lape, have been close and dear friends of mine.

Miss Read was a rare person who was a loyal friend and a honest one. I always felt that she could give expert constructive criticism and that she had a desire to help you to do your best.

Her standards of work and action were high, and I have always been grateful for her friendship. She had been ill for some time, but it is her friends who give now that she is so much better. I met her at the Hall last night because she will meet with courage and a high heart whatever it is to come.

Though the day had been filled with such sad news, I went to the Alberta Festival of Christmas at the Hall last night because she will meet with courage and a high heart whatever it is to come.

I never before thought of drums as a means of communication. It had slipped my memory that they are really the oldest language in the world, until I saw people actually talking to each other on their drums on the stage last evening.

The opera, which was written to present courtship and a marriage ceremony, was very charming. The chief singer, who had studied at the London Conservatory of Music, had a lovely voice. The girl dancers were graceful and expert. Mr. Datura has made his country's dances familiar to many in this performance. I felt as though I was looking at an old Egyptian picture. The color and rhythm of the evening was most impressive.

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McCoy Health Service

Eczema is one of the very common skin disorders. It may cause considerable itching and inflammation, together with various kinds of skin lesions such as blisters, scales, crusts, pimples, etc. When it is of the type marked by the exudation of a moist fluid, it is commonly referred to as "weeping" eczema.

In overcoming eczema it is very important to realize the difference between the underlying factors which are the true cause and the factors which act as exciting causes.

Anything which irritates the skin, such as scratching, chafing from clothing or exposure to chemicals, may serve as an exciting cause. However, the important factors are those which are in a long state of the body, as these are the ones which work from the inside in building up a special irritability of the skin. Such special irritability must be present before the exciting causes will have any effect. The exciting causes are local causes—the true causes are systemic.

It must be remembered that eczema often occurs in a chronic form that is, it has a tendency to remain over a long period of time. During this period, acute flare-ups may occur and active inflammation be superimposed on the chronic condition.

In overcoming eczema permanently to the extent that the skin remains perfectly clear, the treatment must be directed to overcoming the systemic causes. The body must be purified and sufficient attention must be given those causes which are the cause of the condition which are constantly creating the skin condition which shows on the outside.

Instead of eczema being only a disease of the skin it is more in the nature of a disease of the entire body in which the chief symptoms take the form of a skin inflammation. An impure condition of the blood is usually the main cause and this is clearly due to the use of an incorrect diet. Lack of exercise, and constipation. When as the result of eating wrong foods, the blood becomes burdened with impurities, the stress will first be eliminated by way of the usual eliminative channels. However, as soon as the burden of impure materials becomes great enough, an extra eliminative organ is needed. In those with a predisposition to eczema, the skin will become the added channel, the body making an effort to rid itself of impurities by getting rid of them through the skin.

Overcoming eczema therefore depends mainly upon correcting the diet. Fasting and dieting offer the most direct method. While the use of a better diet will produce considerable improvement, it is nevertheless true that the most rapid results are obtained when the fast is taken before the diet is changed. In other words, fasting for a short time will produce an effect only obtained by dieting for a longer time. The explanation of this is that fasting hastens the elimination of toxins until it goes on four or five times as rapidly as it does when the patient is eating his usual meals. It is this extra elimination of toxins which so quickly purifies the blood, and actually reduces the skin inflammation. Once the body begins to become cleaner, the skin will clear.

By following the fast with a careful diet the eczema will often completely disappear and there will be no return of the former trouble. I have seen this method work in many cases.

All questions regarding health and diet will be answered. Large clamped, self-addressed envelope must be enclosed. Write on one side of paper only. Letters must not exceed 150 words. Address: McCoy Health Service, Dr. McCoy, 1121 West 4th Street, Los Angeles, Calif.

SMUGGLERS ESCAPE
BELFAST.—(CP)—Police and smugglers staged a boat race on Lough Erne, near the Irish border, resulting in the capture of the boat and quantities of canned salmon, sardines, and other commodities stolen in Eire. But the smugglers jumped out of the boat and escaped.

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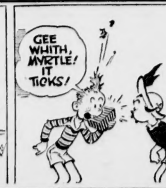


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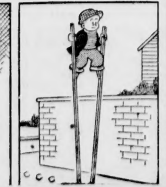
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AROUND HOME



NANCY



Legion Again Names Tanner To Presidency

Harold E. Tanner, city school teacher, will head Edmonton Branch No. 34 of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., for the third consecutive term, having received an acclamation to that office at the regular monthly meeting of the branch held in the Memorial hall Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Tanner received the lone nomination for president, the entire membership present agreeing to close nominations for the office as soon as his name was written on the board as officers were nominated for various posts for the forthcoming Legion year.

THANKS MEMBERS

Mr. Tanner thanked the membership for the confidence displayed in his leadership.

LT. Col. E. Brown, M.M., E.D., area commandant, was named honorary president. LT. Col. Brown was formerly secretary-manager of the Edmonton branch of the Canadian Legion.

J. A. MacDonald and J. McLean, both of whom hold office at the present time, were nominated for the position of first vice-president. Percy Gwynne, Percy Cowley, J. C. MacDonald and J. McLean, were nominated for the office of second vice-president.

The following were nominated for positions on the executive committee, nine of whom are to be elected, six veterans of the First Great War and three veterans of the present war.

FIRST WAR NOMINEES

First Great War nominees: G. Scott, J. Davies, P. Cowley, S. Howett, A. Biddell, H. Ridge, P. Gwynne, W. Irwin, P. Malnes, H. Hawkins, W. Patterson, J. Miller, W. Thomas, J. McLean, W. R. McLaren and J. Jones.

New Veterans' nominees: J. C. MacDonald, F. Booth, J.

LIFE'S LIKE THAT



"All I wish is that guy who thinks up those problems in our arithmetic book would come along now!"

Girl, 17, Slightly Hurt in Mishap

Pearl Peterson, 17, of 10211 96 street, received slight injuries to her back, after being struck by the front fender of a motor vehicle driven by John W. Hosford, Cooking Lake road, and knocked to the pavement, at 11:45 a.m. Saturday. The accident occurred at Jasper avenue and 98 street.

Miss Peterson, who reported the accident at police headquarters, where she was taken by Hosford, said she was walking across 98 street when she saw the truck. She was walking across the street when she saw the truck. She was walking across the street when she saw the truck.

car and paused, momentarily waiting for it to stop. After it came to a stop, she proceeded to walk in front of it, when the auto suddenly started.

Hosford told authorities that he did not see Miss Peterson until the impact. She got to her feet without any assistance, he said.

Train, Auto Crash Takes Seven Lives

MONONGAHELLA, Pa., Dec. 20.—(AP)—Deputy Coroner Carl Yohs reported seven persons, five of them children, were killed Saturday when their automobile was struck by a train near this western Pennsylvania community. The children, all boys, ranged from seven to 14 years in age, and were on their way here to buy Christmas presents for a school party.

Eight Legion Members Get Special Honor

To the thrifty accompaniment of "Old Soldiers Never Die," eight veterans of the First Great War and original members of the Canadian Legion, were made life members of the Edmonton Branch of the Legion at the regular monthly meeting of that body held in the Memorial Hall, Sunday afternoon.

Branch President Harold E. Tanner said in calling the "veterans" to the front platform that all eight have been members of the Great War Veterans' Association, the pioneer organization of Canadian veterans, formed just after the last war.

All had been born in 1880 or prior to that time and have been members of the Legion for 20 continuous years.

THOSE HONORED

The eight so honored are as follows: Robert H. Newton, Sgt.-Maj. J. P. Shillabeer, Frank Taylor, H. Challenger, H. "Dad" Hawkins, E. Poole, C. Wallock and W. Butterfield.

W. "Bill" Irwin, another veteran member of the Edmonton Legion branch, was recently made a life member. Special cards and badges are issued to life members.

Several of those honored at the Sunday meeting protested waiving of payment of membership dues, a privilege that goes with honorary life membership.

In a second brief ceremony, J. C. MacDonald, a member of the branch executive, was presented with a special badge in recognition of his work in organizing veterans of the present war.

Mr. MacDonald organized the 2nd Great War Veterans' Association, which later obtained a charter as Branch No. 147 of the Canadian Legion. During the annual convention of the Provincial Command of

Aircraft Plant Holds Kiddies' Yuletide Party

Nearly 1,000 children and their escorts saw Santa Claus arrive by plane at Aircraft Repair Limited Saturday afternoon as employees of the big overhaul plant staged their first annual kiddies' Christmas tree in the plant cafeteria.

Taxed in by Archie McMillan (test pilot), St. Nick alighted from CP-400R, the company plane, rechristened "Santa Claus Express" for the occasion, to highlight the show, which was arranged by A.R.L. Special Services.

VARIED PROGRAM

Included on the program were Bud Cowan, with his cartooning, Dad Glover, the "Farmer" of radio fame, Peter Pullio, originator of the show, and his A.R.L. band, Lorne Rennie and L. Fowler, clowning, Art Ward, announcer, and Lou Adams, Santa Claus. Three films were shown during the afternoon by Edith Jones and Joan West.

Big bag of treats was given each child after a chat with Santa by cafeteria staff under direction of Joe Haig.

Transportation from four sections of the city was provided, with Checker bus arranging the service.

Assisting with transportation, chaperoning, ushering and decorating were members of the A.R.L. Girls' Y.V.C.A. club under the direction of Mrs. B. S. Cooke, supervisor of women, and Edna Williams, president of the club. Hank Rich, paint shop supervisor, directed decorations, crew, while Jack Withnell and Jack Howell arranged seating.

Also assisting with arrangements for the function were E. S. Cooper, Dorothy Hammond and Mrs. I. Evans.

The Legion held here last summer, branch No. 147 merged with the older Branch No. 24.

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Christmas Eve, 1943

"This is the night—the night I've always lived for, year in and year out.

"This one is sure different, though. Instead of sleighbells, we've got tank tracks clanking over the rocks. Instead of stockings over the fireplace we've got Army socks drying on the bushes. Instead of a treeful of presents, Jerry lobs over 155's.

"See that star over there? Looks like a Christmas star all right. It's shining down on our house right now, I bet... on Dad and Mom and the kids and Mary.

"They'll be singing carols and it'll sound wonderful. And there'll be a big fire in the fireplace and the stuff on the tree will be sparkling like diamonds.

And after a while they'll hang up the stockings. And finally they'll all go to bed and the kids'll dream of Santa Claus all night long, like I used to.

"Merry Christmas, Dad and Mom! Merry Christmas, kids! Merry Christmas, Mary! Don't worry about me. I'm all right. And, if everything goes okay, I'll be home for next Christmas."

Let us not fail the boy who waits tonight on a wind-swept hill. Let us try to match his job with ours. Let us work harder in mine and field and factory. Let us buy more and more Victory Bonds and War Savings Certificates. Let us resolve now to bring him home before another Christmas comes.

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BEFORE CHRISTMAS

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